Creation – Genesis

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### **FOREWARD**

The following tales cannot, and should not, be put in words. How can words describe events that occurred in a timeless, dimensionless space. Since words are, currently, our only tool of communication, one must try expressing the events in words.

Every intellectual person tries to model the world around him in an acceptable manner. One of the first points, or corners, in a model is who made this all? The following tales accept the view that God created everything. They are based on the well-known stories of creation. I would like to stress that they are not the official interpretation of any of the religious scriptures. They represent my own understanding of them. If there is any obvious mistake in my work, blame it on me and not on the scriptures.

I will not address the questions about God himself, but I will try to give what sounds to me as a logical picture of the model. I will try to explain destiny, the devil, the sin, our share in the sin, and most important why do we have to try to go back to God.

Why did God create us? God created us because he wanted to be known. He wanted to be worshipped. Our existence is some kind of a proof of God's existence. A stronger proof is that some of us found ways back to him.

## THE FIRST FIVE DAYS

God created the earth in the first two days or stages since, with no sun there were no days anyway. One must realize that a day is really a period of time and for God, a day would be millions and millions of our days. Within the first four days, the earth was completely ready with mountains for its stability. [BUT IN THE KOR'AN, IT TALKS ABOUT PLATE TECTONICS. THE EARTH IS A DYNAMIC PLANET, WHICH IS WHY WE HAVE WEATHER, ETC. THE MOUNTAINS COULD NOT HAVE JUST HAPPENED, COULD THEY? THE HIMALAYAN MOUNTAINS ARE THE LAST OROGENIC EVENT; THE TALLER THE MOUNTAINS, THE MORE RECENT THE EVENT (I.E., COLLISION OF PLATES). THOUGHT GOD MADE THE EARTH TO BE DYNAMIC SO WE COULD SURVIVE. EARTH WASN'T DYNAMIC, IT WOULD BE EXACTLY LIKE THE MOON: NO ATMOSPHERE, NO CONTINENTS, NO OCEANS, etc.] Then God turned to the sky above, which was nothing but a cloud of steam, and shaped it into stars. God said to both the earth and the sky, I am your great creator and I am giving you a choice: either you obey my law blindly or you can have a free will. They answered, "But you created us and we trust you. We want to obey you blindly. And there was physics."

During the fifth day, or stage God prepared the earth to be inhabited. Until this stage, God created objects with no brains. They only had fear of their lord and they wanted to worship him forever. God then created creatures with brains. He made them from light and called them angels. Having nothing but brains, they willingly chose to worship God. They dwelled everywhere. They acted like God's army. They had ranks and jobs. They always did what they were told.

Things got more interesting when God created the Jinn out of fire. They had brains but also they had desires. Wars started straight away and rule number one was introduced: good always wins. The real reason that the angels generally won is that some of the jinn feared God and actually helped the angels. In one of the wars, the angels won and captured all the jinn, young and old. They destroyed all the old ones. The young ones were taken back to heaven. Heaven was already classified into seven degrees. God's throne is in the seventh heaven. Only chosen angels were allowed to approach. The young jinn were brought up in the company of angels. They never dwelled on their desires. With desire, they had more imagination than the angels and they alternately stood out as perfect angels.

Every thing worshipped God willingly.

# A CREATURE FROM MUD

One day, God summoned all the angels to him. Of course all the jinn came to the meeting. God said, "I will give the earth to a different kind of creature. They will be made of mud and will have desires. Iblees, who is a Jinny who became the best worshipper in heaven, asked, "You will put on earth creatures destroying it, killing each other, committing all kinds of sins while we worship you all the time?!". God ended the discussion saying, "I know what you do not know. This now is final. The earth will be given to a creature of clay. Moreover, when he is created you are all to put your faces on the floor in front of him."

The angels knew that this was not a topic for discussion and that it was only informatory that they were told. So they dispersed and each went back to his work minding his own business.

Only Iblees nourished the feeling of jealousy for this new creature. He expressed his worries to other jinn. He was not planning to stand by and watch.

Iblees joined others ..... waiting...

## **ADAM**

It is neither fire nor light that God created the soul from. It was no earthy substance either. It was not energy. Souls were created all at the same time, all together, in pairs, part of God himself. So they were all-knowing, experienced, and powerful. One second they were not, the next they were. They were all combined together in one soul. This soul was placed in the body made by God's own hands from clay. The angel of death gathered the clay from different parts of earth.

The soulless body of Adam was made sitting with its back leaning against a wall in heaven. God put the soul through his nose. Adam, already feeling life in his head, sneezed because of the sensation of the soul entering through his nose. God told him, "Bless you". The first thing Adam got from God was his blessing. The soul started making its way down Adam's body. When he felt strong in the arms, he tried to get up. With lifeless legs, he could not. Man was in a hurry from the start.

This happened in front of all the angels.

God introduced his new creation to the angels. He called him Adam because he was made from clay (adeem in Arabic). With Adam on his side, God and the angels toured the world. God asked the angels, "Could any of you tell me the names of all the different things on earth and in heaven. All angels answered in one prayer, "You are the greatest. You do not do a mistake. We have no knowledge except that you taught us." When God asked Adam the same, to everybody's surprise, he did. He knew all names of all creatures. Only one plant, a small flower did he not name. It kept on yelling at him, "Forget me not". The angels asked him about its name. He smiled and said, "Forget me not".

At this stage God ordered all present to put their faces on the floor in respect of Adam.

# THE DEVIL

It was a splendid sight. All angels postured with their faces on the floor in front of Adam. Adam felt the honor God has bestowed upon him. But what is that? An angel is still on his feet. Adam heard, "Iblees, what has come upon you? Why are not you down on the floor like the rest? Why do not you respect what I have created with my own hands."

"l am better than him. I am made of fire and he is of clay."

"Get out of heaven. This is no place for pride. You are small and so you will always be."

"Give me a chance to prove to you that they are not worthy of respect. Give me a chance until they have served their time to prove my point."

"You are one of those who will wait until the day they are resurrected. You are out of my mercy until they are judged for their deeds."

"As was done to me, I will decorate the world for them. I will divert them from the straight path you have outlined for them. I will come to them from every side and you will find most of them unthankful."

"Go out of it. For You and all those who will follow you, I will make hell fire. In it, you will burn forever. You will have no power over my slaves except for those who choose to follow you. Go out of it disliked, unwanted."

Iblees collected all the Jinn, who were still loyal to him, and as he was leaving heaven, he spat on Adam. It landed on Adam's middle. Adam straight away tried to wipe it off. He did not realize that he was still soft. Adam made an unsightly dent in his body. Well, this is the belly button. Adam then asked God,

"Who is that? God answered, "Oh, That is the devil."

## **EVE**

The angels did know that Iblees was never an angel: nevertheless, they were worried lest they come to a similar fate as he did. This led them to avoid Adam. They planned their duties so that they never had to deal with him. Only when it was their duty, they talked to him. Adam grew very lonely. God asked him about it, "Adam why are you unhappy?"

"I do not know. Angels do not talk to me. I do not have anyone to talk to."

"Am I not enough for you?"

"But you are my creator. I need to talk to someone that shares my interests."

"Well the angels do not trust their fate. They would rather be safe than sorry."

"I wished I had a companion."

"What kind of a companion?"

"Another man like myself."

"That will not be much of company for you. He will echo whatever you say. I will give you a companion that shares your concerns but that is not exactly the same as you."

Adam had a very good sleep. During his sleep God took one of his bones and created the body of a woman out of it. God took half the souls that were in Adam and put them in her. The pairs of souls were broken apart. They were no longer united. When Adam woke up, he was surprised and pleased.

"Who are you?"

"I am your companion."

The angels asked Adam who she was. He answered that her name was Eve.

Time passed and Adam and his companion lived in heaven. Slowly Adam got tired of his companion. Again, God asked him, "What is the matter Adam?"

"It is Eve."

"What about her?"

I am not used to it. She bosses me around. She tells me what I can and what I cannot do. She tells what to touch and what not to touch. She does not let me do what I want to do. I am fed up with it."

"What do you want then?"

"Can it be the same as before?"

And Eve was gone.

Needless to say Adam got very lonely again. Much more lonely than the first time for now he knew how it was to have a companion. He missed Eve. Again; "What is it Adam?"

"I am lonely."

"Do you want her back?"

Eve was back to stay.

# THE TREE OF ETERNITY

God said to Adam and Eve, Adam, You and your wife, Eve, can, for now, stay here in heaven. Here, you will never feel hunger or thirst. You will not be clothless or tired. You will not suffer. You can have an easy life. You can do anything you wish. There is only one restriction. You cannot approach this apple tree. God showed them a tree that was very pleasing to look at. It had big red fruits. God added, I will warn you. The devil, Iblees, is your worst enemy. Do not listen to him lest you become miserable and sorry."

Adam and Eve enjoyed their stay in heaven. Adam could not answer all Eve's inquiries about the devil. Adam told her all that happened when he first got created. Eve did not understand how anyone can sin against God.

Somewhere else, outside heaven, there was the devil. He was planning. He was carefully studying Adam. He still had friends in heaven who told him all that Adam and Eve did. He eventually put together a good plan. The first step was to get inside heaven and talk to them. This was not very easy since all the doors into heaven were permanently guarded. The guards were mostly animals that took turns on the gates. None of the guards would like to challenge God by letting him in. Iblees decided that his best chance was with the serpent.

"Hello. How are you?" said the devil.

"Oh. Hello. I am fine. How are you?" said the serpent.

"I cannot say that I am very happy now that I lost my place so close to  $\ensuremath{\operatorname{\textsc{God."}}}$ 

"It is a real shame that you, the Peacock of heaven, lose your position because of a heap of dust. 1 really think it was unfair."

"Well, I will revenge."

"How will you do that?"

"This is the reason I am here. I have this perfect plan to make Adam and his fancy wife sin. I will show God that they are unworthy."

"You would really be very clever if you can get them to sin, especially that wife of his. How will you do that from outside?"

"I cannot do it from outside. You will have to let me in."

"Oh, NO. That is impossible. You heard God. He said that you are to get out of heaven unwanted and disliked."

"Yes, I did hear that. But if you let me in, I will not be going in unwanted. I will still be disliked."

"Even if that is true, I cannot let you in now because it is almost the end of my shift."

"Please."

"I will tell you this. Come tomorrow earlier and I will let you in."

The next day, as she promised, she let him. He approached

Adam and Eve who were sitting resting their backs on a tree. The Devil had to be very cautious in his approach lest some angel sees him. He was hiding behind the trees. When he got close enough to them,

"Pssst, Hello there."

"Hello, oh it is you. I thought you were not allowed in here."

"Oh, Do not believe everything you here."

"You must be Iblees if you are not allowed in heaven, said Eve.

"Iblees is my name, my beautiful lady."

"Why were you thrown out of heaven? What was your sin?" asked Eve.

"Let me answer this question in another occasion. I would like to tell you a secret about heaven."

"What is that?" asked Eve.

"I know of a tree of eternity here in heaven. Would you like me to show it to you."

"We do not want anything from you. You are our enemy, said Adam recollecting God's warning.

"Come, Adam, come. These are not your words. How do you know friends and enemies? Do not talk like this. You should have more consideration for the feelings of others. The devil said this not really to Adam. He was directing his talk to Eve who was interested and trying to interrupt.

"What tree?" Where is it?" What eternity?"

"Eternity is to live for ever; to be like God himself. I cannot help but notice Adam's lack of interest. To prove my good nature, I will tell you that the tree is the same one that God ordered you not to touch. Now that I think about it, I realize that I should not have told you. If you were smart, you would have realized that God had had a very good reason why he did not want you to touch the tree. I actually doubt that you would know how to handle all that extra power. I am not going to waste any more time with you. The devil said this and fled away. He was sure that he succeeded in planting the seed of sin in them. He also realized that it took him more than he anticipated. The serpent had already left her post. He decided that it would be best if he hid somewhere until the next day. Of course he was discovered and thrown out of heaven again. This time the serpent was thrown out too for her betrayal.

## THE SIN

Adam kept himself busy to avoid thinking about the devil's words. Eve, on the other hand, did not in her physical body attend the episode when the devil was thrown out of heaven, could not think of anything else.

"What do you think he meant by eternity?, asked Eve.

"An ever lasting kingdom."

"An ever lasting kingdom! What is this then?"

"I remember that God said that we can stay here for the time being so maybe he has planned to send us somewhere else."

"Where to?"

I overheard angels talking about us going down to a lower life on earth for some time."

"Earth; Oh No. Is there any way we can stop this?"

"If it is God's will, then there is no way."

"We surely can do something about it."

"There is no changing for what  $\operatorname{God}$  plans. This is what destiny is all about."

"Maybe if we try this apple ..." thought Eve aloud.

"Do not be silly. What can the eating of an apple bring us?"

"If it brings nothing, why did God forbid it?"

Adam had no answer for this question and, as a matter of fact, this was bothering him too. Noticing his obvious loss, Eve went to the tree, picked up an apple and took a big bite of it. Adam noticed that nothing happened to her as she swallowed it. He accepted her offer and took a bite himself.

## THE REAL SIN

Nothing happened to Adam or to Eve after they ate the apple. They sat under a tree with their faces down gazing at the green grass. It was not long before Eve raised her eyes and looked at Adam. He was looking at her too. He looks different, she thought. Adam thought the same about her. For the first time they both noticed that their bodies were not similar. They noticed differences other than the hair and the face. They both felt a growing sensation inside of them. They wanted to touch each other. In the beginning they investigated each other's body out of curiosity, and a strong desire was building up. It was not long till they were involved in a very passionate, sensuous experience. They made love for the first time. Afterwards, they were ashamed of their nakedness. They wanted to cover their bodies. They searched around heaven for a suitable cover; the best they found was the leaves of the fig tree. They were big and did the job nicely.

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"What happened to us? It is not the same any more. What was in that apple?"

"I do not think it had anything to do with the apple."

"What is it then?"

"I think it is the fact that we disobeyed God. It is all the knowledge we gained by realizing how it is to be on the other side. Before we ate the apple, we only knew about good. We did not know bad. Now not only do we know about it, but also we fee it."

"It does not really feel any different."

"It is not the feeling one gets of doing the wrong that matters. More important is the realization of having disobeyed God."

"That is true. Good and bad are not significant because often we do not understand why deeds are classified under either of them."

"But did the devil lie to us?"

"He must have. I do not see how eternity will come about now."

"The strange thing is that the apple did not taste any different."

"That is true. Why did God forbid it then?"

"Must he have a reason?"

"Not really. But one still wonders. Maybe he wanted us to experience the other side."

"It is difficult to know why he does things. But maybe you are right. I guess unless God tells us, we will never find out."

"What will God do to us?"

"Yes, What will God do to us?"

## **FORGIVENESS**

Adam and Eve awaited their punishment. They as well as all the angels, and the jinn were waiting for God's word. It was not long until God called Adam and Eve. They were still ashamed of their nakedness, in spite of the fig leaves. They hid behind a large tree.

"I see that you and your wife have disobeyed me."

They were at a loss of words when they heard this from God. They knew that they could not deny their sin. They finally said together, "God, if it is something that we did entirely of our own accord, then punish us for it, but if it is something that you wrote upon us, then please forgive us."

"As a matter of fact, I wrote it upon you."

"Then forgive us."

"But you willingly did it. It is your own deed."

"Did we choose to do it before you wrote it upon us?"

"Both happened at the same instance. To me, all things happen in the same time. I am everywhere and at all times, all at once.

"Oh god, we have fouled our bodies and brought misery upon ourselves and if you do not forgive us, we will be losers for ever."

Adam then noticed upon the throne of God a statement that combined God's name with the name of one of Adam's grandchildren. He immediately said, "God, for the sake of my grandson, whose name is inscribed on the bottom of your throne, whom you love so much and for whom you have created the whole world, forgive us and give us another chance."

I will give you another chance, under different circumstances, to show me your love. As for you, Eve, you will have the same punishment and because you picked the apple and tasted it first, you will have more pain than Adam. You will carry the fruits of your relation with Adam. You will bear the children and with them will come a lot of blood and a lot of pain. Moreover, man will always be a degree higher than you."

[IS THIS TRUE? OF COURSE WE MENSTRUATE AND GIVE BIRTH TO CHILDREN © WE'RE SPECIAL!! LOL FEMALES OF ALL SPECIES RULE THE ROOST SO TO SPEAK]

This meant there is more punishment to come but at least to the couple, Adam and Eve, their sin is forgiven. When they start again, they will start fresh.

This episode left the devil depressed. He realized that man is going to be a tough opponent and also that man is smart. He was sad that he never remembered to use God's love for the dear one in order to get forgiven.

The angels knew that Adam and Eve would be going down to earth but how? And when?

Everybody waited.

## THE COVENANT

Adam and Eve did not wait long for God called them close to his throne. He then told them, "This is the end of your current physical existence. There are a lot of souls in each of you. Some of which are good and others are bad. I am going to separate these souls so each can be tested individually."

God then made their bodies disappear. What was left were billions and billions of souls. The souls immediately recognized their maker, their source. They all respected God and prayed to him silently. It was a scene of glory for the lord of the universe. All the souls prayed for God's forgiveness and mercy.

They knew that there is still more punishment to come.

God did not keep them long in suspense. He said, "You know that you have sinned. You have broken the trust I had in you. This sin is now forgiven."

All the souls were attentive. They knew this was important.

God added, "All of you will go down to the lower world, where you will be enemies to each other."

God was letting his words find their way deep into the everlasting consciousness of the souls. He went on, "There is one item that you will have choice about."

God made the souls look in a certain direction and behold, it was just as if a window was opened from which they saw excerpts from life on the lower world. They saw beautiful pictures: the sun, the moon, sunsets on beaches, green forests, snow-covered mountains, running rivers and lots more. But straight after that they saw pictures of wars, mass starvation, violence, hard work for food, fights within the house and lots more.

As the window was somehow closed again, God said, "As you know, all things worship me. But they have no choice in that. After I created them, I gave them a choice to worship me with choice or with no choice. They all chose to do it with no choice. The same happened with the angels. Now it is your turn. I had put you in heaven for some time so that you learn an important lesson. All the time you were meant to go and live in the lower world. And here comes the important decision, do you want to go down and worship me forcedly? Or do you want to have an absolutely free will? That is do you want me to force you to worship me or do you want to have choice down there, if you feel like it you worship me, and if you do not feel like it you do not?"

The souls were not ready for this. They hesitated for a short while. But then the majority, with arrogance doing themselves injustice, said, "Our God, we will surely come back to you with our own will".

"It will not be so easy, God explained to them."

"Who else would we worship," they inquired.

"Life down there is different. There will be strong desires to fight. There is a devil who wants to take you astray, to put you all in hell, he has already taken your parents out of heaven."

"We are not afraid of the devil nor of any earthy temptation."

"In this case, let's write a covenant. You will all go down there with your free will where you will all have a body like the one you had up here and you will be faced with a lot of challenges, a lot of temptation to forget me. Who ever will remember me till the end of his lower life, will come back to heaven, will come back to me. As for those who will forget me, they will not come under my mercy. Moreover, I have prepared a huge fire for the devil and them. I know that there is a minority that does not wish to have a free will down in the lower life. They will have what they want. They still have to go down and spend some time in the lower life."

"How will this be achieved, our lord?"

"You will only be able to exercise your free will after you have each lived some years. This will be called infancy. No sin that you commit in that period will be registered against you. Whoever dies during his infancy will automatically come back to heaven. Also those individuals who will never be able to exercise their free wills will come to heaven."

"But they never got tested!"

"Let me explain a little more. When you come back to heaven, there will be many degrees, seven to be precise. The seventh is for those who love me best in the lower life and the first is for those who barely remembered me. Those who enter heaven automatically will not enjoy it to its full extent. Now, what do you say?"

Now there was no doubt. The majority wanted free will and a small minority wanted to be forced. And so it was. The covenant was written and signed by each individual soul. The angels witnessed the writing and added to it, "We witnessed this covenant and witnessed that the souls accepted of their free will, knowing all the details of the deal. We witness that the souls will not be allowed to use the excuse that they had to follow anybody, whether it is their rulers or their elders."

# THE BAZAAR

It was time for the first exercise of their free will. Each soul had to choose the body in which it was going to dwell in the lower life. It was a colorful bazaar. There was a lot of matching to do. The bodies were all catalogued and classified according to their color, size and basic marks. The souls investigated the different bodies. They even tried them on to see how they fitted. Once a soul chose its body, it had to choose its family. This was easy, for already relations were getting established between the souls. Souls also chose the time at which they will join the lower life. They chose the exact moment of birth so as to know their astrological aspects. They knew the major misfortunes they were going to face such as the loss of a dear person or object. They also chose where they will be born.

Once each soul was content that it had chosen the right lower life so as it could lead a happy life, their requests were all given to God. God investigated their choices and once he approved of it, he put the scheme for the world. This was a major task, but still, it did not take God any time to do it. Everybody was ready to go down. Many were even looking forward to it.

# **POWERS FOR THE DEVIL**

The devil, realizing that it was going to be a tough fight, came praying for more power, My lord, you have sent me out of heaven, brought me down to earth, made me unwanted and disliked, and now I am a devil. I need some tools in my fight with man.

God asked him to name the tools. "A house." "Bathrooms especially toilets are yours." "A council." "Market places and where roads meet." "A food." "Every food before which my name is not mentioned." "Drinks." "Every drink that makes man drunk is yours." "Something that attracts people to me." "Flutes." "A book like your holy book." "Poetry." "A book that people can read my name in." "Tattoos are yours." "A talk dedicated to me." "Lies."

"This makes me ready for the fight."

## **FRIDAY**

This all happened and it was still the sixth day. It was Friday. Everything was ready. The earth was ready. It had the right temperature. The earth was mostly covered with water. There was both kinds of water, salty and sweet. The sky was light blue by day and dark blue interrupted by little lanterns by night. The moon was already up there. Perhaps the moon was part of the earth and was taken up there by the angels as a monument. Maybe it is our lost Atlantis. Friday indeed it was. It was the first normal day. Normal, in the sense that it was of the same duration as the days we know now. There were many days before it. They were different. During those days, life had already started and established itself on earth. Some molecules gathered forming a cell and God put life in it. Evolution took its course. That is, cells started to multiply, remaining together in the beginning and then breaking apart later. Creatures got more complex. In one complex structure of cells, cells started to have different functions. Plants appeared. They utilized the basic natural lifeless sources of food around them.

Animals came into the picture a little later. They gave themselves the right to eat other forms of life. They became more complex. They adapted to the needs of nature, they moved faster, became tricky and they grew brains.

Different types of animals ruled for some time. Each species had its chance. Finally, on this particular Friday, it was man's turn to wear the crown. But, by ruling, man meant to utilize everything else for his service.

Man suddenly appeared on earth. Man is not a result of evolution. Actually, no live thing is the result of evolution. Everything coexisted. It is just that some suited certain circumstances better so they multiplied faster and dominated.

Different species are not linked. This means that the only force of Darwin's forces that really existed is "Survival For The Fittest". [DARWIN ATTRIBUTED "SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST" TO THE ECONOMIST, HERBERT SPENCER IN HIS  $6^{\text{TH}}$  EDITION (I THINK) OF THE ORIGIN OF SPECIES. DARWIN ACTUALLY CALLED IT "NATURAL SELECTION". WE SHOULD CHANGE THAT.]

The first man that appeared on earth was the same Adam that lived in heaven. This time he had only one soul in him and so did Eve. He was sent down first followed by his wife Eve. He landed somewhere in Asia. More precisely, on the island known as Ceylon.

Eve landed in the Arabian desert. Adam loved few things in heaven and did not want to part with them so God allowed him to bring them down. These included: a stick, a shirt and a stone. Eve too was attached to few things. She came down with a garland of a special kind of flowers that had a very distinct smell.

Adam knew that Eve was somewhere on earth. He searched everywhere on the island and found out that Eve was not on it. He swam to India, followed his instinct crossing the land to Pakistan, Persia, Iran and finally Saudi Arabia. He managed to swim and walk fast with the aid of his stick. It was a magic stick. In Saudi, Adam was directed to a

mountain where he sat sad and lonely. He suddenly smelt the smell of Eve's flowers. He looked up the mountain and there was Eve. He climbed up to her and they were reunited.

# **FORGETFUL**

Adam and Eve had a lot to talk about. They remembered everything about the covenant. They discussed and agreed to remember God in everything they did. Needless to say, Adam and Eve got married. Maybe not in front of a minister, but one way or another, they got married. It would not be appropriate to think otherwise. Eve understood about the blood in God's saying, "With them will come a lot of pain and blood." Eventually she became pregnant and understood the pain part of the saying. In their first delivery, they got twins, a boy and a girl. They had some difficulty bringing them up. They had not seen babies before, and they did not know how to communicate with them without words. As time went on and the babies became infants and children and learnt how to talk, Adam and Eve were astonished that their kids did not remember anything about the covenant. The kids found it very amusing what their parents had to say about heaven but they never assumed that it was true. Adam could no longer talk to God directly. He prayed very much to know what happened to his kids.

God finally explained to him, through a dream, that none of his sons or grandsons would be born with the memory of the covenant. This was because as the powerful soul was put into the body of the fetus inside the mother's womb, it was trapped. It could not stretch. The nine long months of imprisonment inside the dark room leads to the building of a thick cloud over the memory of the past. Adam was worried that all his kids will then end up in hell. God relived him by telling him that, that was not the case.

Many if not most of the kids will strive to learn about God.

Their efforts will never be denied. Every step they take closer to God will remove some of the cloud away. Adam then remembered the devil and said, "But lord, this powerful creature, the devil, you made as an enemy for us, if you do not help us against him, we will be lost." God replied, "Adam, every son you will get will be taken care of by an angel." Adam was not content. "Give me more". God did. "Each bad deed you do will be punished as a single deed and each good deed will be rewarded as ten good deeds." Adam was still concerned, "Oh God, please give me more."

God concluded, "I will always accept repentance."

Eve had another set of twins, another boy and another girl. The first born boy was to marry the second born girl and vice versa. This led to friction between the brothers since one of the girls was remarkably more beautiful. This dispute ended up with one of the sons killing the other. He smashed his head with a stone. His brother lay dead in front of him and he did not know what to do to him. As he sat there watching, he saw a crow burying another so he buried his brother. When God asked about his brother, he lied. God showed Adam where the murder took place but there was no blood. The ground absorbed it all. There was no immediate proof. God forbade the ground to absorb any more blood.

A lot more has happened since then.